

## TELEGRAPHS.

1868, c. 471, s. 184  
Injuring, etc.,  
lines, posts,  
piers, abut-  
ments, etc

**97.** Any person who shall unlawfully and intentionally injure, molest, or destroy any of the lines, posts, piers, or abutments, or the materials or property connected with the working of any telegraph line, shall on conviction thereof, be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and be punished by a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars, or imprisonment in the county or city jail not exceeding one year, or both, at the discretion of the court before which the conviction shall be had.

Punishment.

## TELEGRAPH MESSAGES.

1868, c. 471,  
s. 185  
Divulging con-  
tents of com-  
munications.

**98.** Any person connected with any such corporation in this State, either as clerk, operator, messenger, or in any other capacity, who shall wilfully divulge the contents, or the nature of the contents of any private communication intrusted to him for transmission or delivery, or who shall wilfully refuse or neglect to transmit or deliver the same, shall on conviction before any court be adjudged guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall suffer imprisonment in the jail in the county or city where such conviction shall be had for a term of not more than three months, or shall be fined not exceeding five hundred dollars, in the discretion of the court.

Punishment.

## GUNNING.

Art. 30, s. 67.  
1728, c. 7, s. 7.  
Gunning on  
lands of  
another.

**99.** Every person who shall, upon any pretence whatever, come to hunt with gun or dog upon the lands of another, without leave or license from the owner or possessor thereof first had and obtained, shall, for every such offence, forfeit and pay to the party grieved the sum of five dollars, to be recovered before a justice of the peace in the name of the State: this section not to apply to Dorchester county.

Fine

## WHISKEY AND FLOUR—FRAUDULENT SALES OF.

Art. 30, s. 204  
1816, c. 160, s. 1.  
Obtaining  
whiskey or flour  
from wagoner,  
etc., below  
market price, or  
making out  
false bills for  
the same.

**100.** If any person shall give or promise to give to any driver or person having charge of any wagon or other carriage, any sum of money or goods of any description for the purpose of obtaining flour or whiskey intrusted to the care of such driver, or person having the charge or care thereof, at any price below the market price of the day, or shall wilfully make out any bill or bills for the same, without stating the full amount paid or promised to be paid to such wagoner or person having the care thereof, he shall forfeit and pay a sum not less than twenty nor more than fifty dollars, one-half to the informer and the other half to the use of the person injured, to be recovered before any justice of the peace as small debts are recovered.

Penalty.

Id. s. 205  
1816, c. 160, s. 2  
Driver receiv-  
ing money, etc.,  
and not return-

**101.** If any driver, or person having charge of any wagon or other carriage, shall take or receive any sum of money or goods of any description from any person as an inducement for selling any